



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6183

LCO No. 1298

Referred to Committee on Public Safety and Security

Introduced by:
REP. WOOD, 141st Dist.

AN ACT REQUIRING MOTOR VEHICLES TO STAY FIVE HUNDRED FEET OR MORE BEHIND AN AMBULANCE ENGAGED IN EMERGENCY TRANSPORTATION.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to provide that any
- 2 nonemergency motor vehicle that is behind an ambulance, when such
- 3 ambulance is using its flashing lights or siren, shall remain five
- 4 hundred feet or more behind such ambulance.

Statement of Purpose:

To increase safety of ambulance operation by requiring the same following distance behind an ambulance that is required for vehicles behind a fire apparatus.